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For: Replication Competent Anti-Cancer Vectors

Group Art Unit: 1632

Examiner: Priebe, Scott David

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**AMENDMENT; AND RESPONSE TO  
OFFICIAL ACTION DATED MARCH 18, 2003**

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Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered in the captioned patent application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.116. Applicants submit the foregoing amendments to place the case in even better condition for allowance or appeal.

This paper is submitted in response to the final Office Action dated March 18, 2003 for which the three-month date for response was June 18, 2003.

A request for a one-month extension of time to respond is included herewith along with the required fee. This one-month extension will bring the due date to July 18, 2003, which is within the six-month statutory period. Should such request or fee be deficient or absent, consider